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## Educators to Confer Here

The Association of Governing Boards of State Universities and Allied Institutions will hold the seventh and eighth sessions of their three-day program here on Thursday. Phillip F. Whitmore will preside. The program is as follows:

10:00 a. m.—Public and Private Education in today's world (from standpoint of private schools), Greenville Clark, president, Fellows of Harvard College; (from standpoint of public schools), Dr. Frank P. Graham, president, University of North Carolina.

12:00 m.—Tour of the Campus.

1:00 p. m.—Chowder at Club 400.

The Afternoon Session

1:30 p. m.—Business meeting, report of Committees, election of officers, adjournment.

3:30 p. m.—Clambake at Point Judith.

Special campus committees include: Reception, Hospitality, Dean Olga Brucher, chairman, Dean Evelyn Morris and Dean John C. Weldin.

Refreshments—Miss Lillian Hudson, chairman, Professor George Ballentine; transportation—Dean Mason H. Campbell, chairman, Mr. Stanley S. Gairloch, Dr. Stephen Crawford; campus tour—Dean Harold W. Browning, chairman, and Professor Herbert M. Hafford.

## WSGA Tea for Frosh Women

The Women's Student Government Association will hold its annual reception for Freshmen Women tomorrow from 7 to 8 o'clock in the Great Room at Eleanor Roosevelt Hall.

Queenie Hedtsian is general chairman, while the following are committee chairmen: Clarissa Aubin, refreshments; Violet Kasparian, clean up; Carolyn Streadford, decorations; Barbara Knowe, hostess; Raquel Rebe, entertainment.

Mrs. Carl R. Woodward, Mrs. Harold W. Browning, Mrs. John Weldin and Miss Evelyn Morris have been invited and will stand in the receiving line as well as W.S.G.A. officers: Scotty Hart, Trudy Farnum and Joan Sawyer.

All the Freshmen girls will attend the reception as well as members of W.S.G.A. Council and Judicial Board, and the Junior Councilors.

## Polygon Hears New Director

Polygon, the inter-fraternity governing body on campus, held a meeting in the Commuters' Room in Quinn Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 30. President Donald Roberts of SAE called the meeting to order; Secretary Joseph Marino of Beta Psi Alpha read the minutes of the last meeting, and Treasurer Kenneth McKenzie of Beta Phi read the financial report. Chester Berry, new director of student activities, was introduced to the group and spoke briefly on a scheduling of social and extra-curricular events. Professor Vernon Cheadle, the new Polygon advisor, was also introduced, and he addressed the group briefly.

The matter of pledge grades was discussed, and a constitutional committee comprised of Kenneth McKenzie of Beta Phi, Lewis Burgess of Lambda Chi Alpha, Kenneth Froberg of TKE, and Donald Roberts of SAE will revise the Polygon constitution. The fraternity pool and the return of fraternity houses to original owners was discussed, and a list of pledges for each fraternity was read.

Hereafter Polygon will meet on the first Monday of every month.

## WHO WILL REIGN AT THE HARVEST BAWL?



Candidates for the Aggie Bawl's honor of being named Harvest Queen toast each other—"with milk, son, milk, that is"—in a preliminary publicity splurge at the college dairy plant. On the bottom line, reading in the usual left to right order, are Carolyn Reed, Chi Omega's bid for beauty fame; Betty MacDonald, of Eta Phi Iuster; and Jean McIntosh, the West Annex ace.

In the middle row are Betty Allen, Sigma Kappa's hope in the beauty sweepstakes; Marion Sundquist, Delta Zeta's comely stake in the contest in which ornamentation is not rationed, and Trudy Brietkopf, Sigma Delta Tau's cup challenger.

Along the top are Betty O'Donnell, colleen in whom East Hall places its faith; Dolores Roderick, the North Annex hope, and Esther Marion, Roosevelt Hall's preemptive bid for honors.

The story of Cinderella is probably familiar to most people who have lived an average childhood. A sweet little girl of unrecognized beauty, through the help of her fairy godmother, went to a ball, won the acclaim and admiration of all present and finally, as any clever little girl will do when she has the opportunity, won herself a man. Most people probably think that the days of fairy godmothers are over, but they are mistaken!

On the night of October 11th, on this very campus, some little Cinderella, figuratively sitting by her hearth warming her toes, will find herself raised some few hours later, to the illustrious heights of Queen

of the Aggie Bawl. What are the attributes of royalty?

Her agrarian highness will be chosen not for an illustrious ancestral line, but for a svelte waist line; not for her broad background, but for her broad sense of humor. She will be, in short, the most delectable of all the delicious dishes who attend the festivities. The Cinderella of the myth depended on the touch of her fairy godmother's magic wand to bring her her heart's desire, but our Cinderella's magic will be the tumultuous acclaim of her court.

Where the Cinderella of old won the hearts of gay cavaliers and bold knights and was to them the girl

for whom they would gladly die, our modern beauty will dazzle the local heifer herders, our gallant pitchforkmen, to whom she will be "The Girl With Whom I Would Most Like to Raise Chickens."

But Cinderella's triumph would not be complete without her Prince Charming. Though he probably won't charge up on a milkwhite steed and spirit her away to a castle, he may dash about in a convertible coupe and whisk her away to the Snack Bar.

Woe be unto the maiden, however who misses the two o'clock curfew—for her vehicle will once more be a pumpkin, her clothes rags, and her crown, two demerits.

## Let's Burn That Bear

We're on the fifty yard line, folks—and Rhody's out there fighting. We Backer-uppers must give them our support—and a Rally seems the best way. So kids—dig up your torches, your banners, and whatever else—for the big procession that will precede the bonfire which, we promise, will burn on Friday.

The procession will begin at 6:30 p. m. outside Rodman Hall. The bonfire will flare up at 7:00 p. m. There will be cheering and singing,

—and a Brown Bear to burn. Come on now—Everybody out! Procession at 6:30 at Rodman. Bonfire at 7:00 in field beside A. E. Pl. Aggie Bawl—to finish up the evening.

Let's back up the team—and have ourselves a good time.

### Portias to Meet

Portia Club invites all freshmen and upperclass women, interested in debating, to attend its rush party on Thursday, Oct. 17 at 7 p. m.

At this meeting the subject discussed will be: Rhode Island State College should have a social and academic honor system.

## Pep Rally on Friday Evening

The Sachems held their weekly meeting in Quinn 109 at 8:30 p. m. last Monday.

Plans for a rally to be held before the Aggie Bawl on Friday were made. A big bonfire will be built in the open field just beyond Quinn. A bear, which, by the way, all you artistic Freshmen girls will have to design and make, will be burned in effigy. Not to leave the poor Frosh "men" out of it,

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## Battering Rams To Buck Bruins

Brown's rugged Bruins will provide the opposition Saturday at Providence when Head Coach Bill Beck and his football Rams attempt another try for victory in the Rhode Island cause. Coach Beck, who like other mentors all over the country, is making his return to coaching circles this season after the war years, would like nothing sweeter than a victory over Rip Engle's eleven to make the homecoming season a success.

The Rams, who have not taken a verdict from the Bruins since 1936 in all the meetings between the two schools, nevertheless will be driving with the same clean, competitive spirit that has had a tendency to arise when these famous rivals meet on the gridiron, basketball court, or baseball diamond. Confidence will be ubiquitous among both rival players and fans during the game, thereby insuring all onlookers a lively contest.

In the first game of the real post war season for Bill Beck and his charges against the University of Maine at Orono, the Rams were victorious by the close margin of 14-13, and it marked the second straight win in two years for the Rhode Islanders, Coach Paul Cleuzo's eleven having turned the trick last year also, 10-7.

The Beckmen, who got the jump on the Bears 14-0, nevertheless had to beat off some furious fourth period drives by the opposition in order to walk off with the verdict. Aerials were the Rams' most effective weapon with both TD's being the result of Ed Becker to Sal Vento tosses. The other two points coming on a safety when Capt. Don Presnell of the Black Bears, attempting an end run on a fake kick play, was smothered for a loss. Two points were gained for the Rhode Islanders by Morgan Laity, Adolph "Dodo" Bagnola, and Frank Roberts' alertness on the play.

## 50 Come Out For Basketball

Under the apt tutelage of Coach Frank Keaney, the floor of Rodman Gym was a scene of busy activity last Monday. Fifty hopeful aspirants were vying for the honor of a berth on the "High Flying Rams." The Rams received this appellation from the fast brand of ball called for by Coach Keaney. Among those candidates were several veterans of last year's nationally famous team, including Jackie Allen, Al Palmieri, Al Nichols, Sal Scalfani, Ken Goodwin and Bob Wilson. Also, as individual top scoring high-school star, Bruce Blount will undoubtedly be heard about continually. The absence of Ernie Calverly, Bob Shea, and Dick Hole will be felt, but there is still good evidence to support the theory that the Rams will again be "High Flying." The first game will be around December 3rd.

For the benefit of the newcomers to our campus, here is a synopsis of last season's success. The Rams' record of last season of eighteen victories against only two losses, including a severe trouncing of the undefeated Holy Cross five, was sufficient to warrant a bid to play in the National Invitation basketball Tournament. In the Rams' first game, against a heavily-favored Bowling Green quintet, Ernie Calverly and staff surprised the nation with a victory in the last few seconds of an overtime period. Rhody went on to win the semi-final match, which advanced the Rams into the final play-off game. The Rams lost this game, being nosed out by a favored and strong Kentucky team, 46-45; however, the Rams were still the "sweethearts of Broadway."

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## SUPPORT THE TEAM

On October 12 the Rams will invade Brown for the first game of the season between the two traditional rivals. The Rams have scored only one victory over the Bruins in their long football series. With the hearty support of the Rhody fans we could help the Rams win. To the team the support given by the spectators is a big factor in winning a game. Rhody's cheerleaders and all the Rhody supporters will be solidly behind to back up the team.

Even more enthusiasm can be fostered among us if those former band players and instrumentalists will respond to the urgent need for a band on the field next Saturday.

It takes individuals to make up a crowd, and there are enough of us here for a crowd (what say?). If everyone of us will turn out at the rally the night before, it will let the team know ahead of time that we are behind them to the last man.

Another milestone in our athletic history will have been made when Rhody beats Brown for the second time on the gridiron. How about 1946 for the big event?

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

We here on the campus of R. I. State, as elsewhere in the country, were under the impression that the war was over, and now the battle we must all wage is against rising prices. President Truman has repeatedly warned against paying inflationary prices. Why, then, is it that this college condones the one hundred per cent boost in local taxi rates?

Surely no service is being offered for the increased rate. The same automobiles, (and we realize the slur we are giving to the automotive industry) are used. Had new cabs replaced the present ones a slight increase in rates might have been expected.

If the cab companies refuse to do anything about the situation, why don't we? The students on this campus comprise the majority of the fare-paying customers. A boycott against such undemocratic practices should bring about results.

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Respectfully yours,

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## TEKES INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Alpha Rho Chapter of Tau Kappa Epsilon held its first formal meeting to the year Sunday, Sept. 28. A full slate of officers was installed. The new officers are: Richard Garland, president; Joseph Barrat, vice president; James McGill, treasurer; Walter Cooke, secretary; Kenneth Keifer, pledge master; William Leeburn, chaplain; John Hood, master-at-arms; Donald Rose, historian. Others elected were: Kenneth Froeberg, Joseph Barrat, Polygon representatives; Walter Whitaker, James Walsh, Student Senate representatives; Fred Crowell, Social chairman; House Committee chairman, Omer Bacon; Donald Rose, House Manager; Wayne Allinson, Steward.

Members of campus include Omer Bacon, Wayne Allinson, Joseph Barrat, P. B. Byron, Elmer Cogdon, Walter Cooke, Fred Crowell, William Duggan, Kenneth Froeberg, Richard Garland, Arnold Gronneberg, John Hood, Walter Horne, Alfred Johnson, Kenneth Keifer, William Leeburn, James McGill, John McGill, Allan Mack-er, Wilfred Ogden, Donald Rose, Richard Sargeson, Richard Shortle, James Walsh, Frederick Weber, Walter Whitaker.

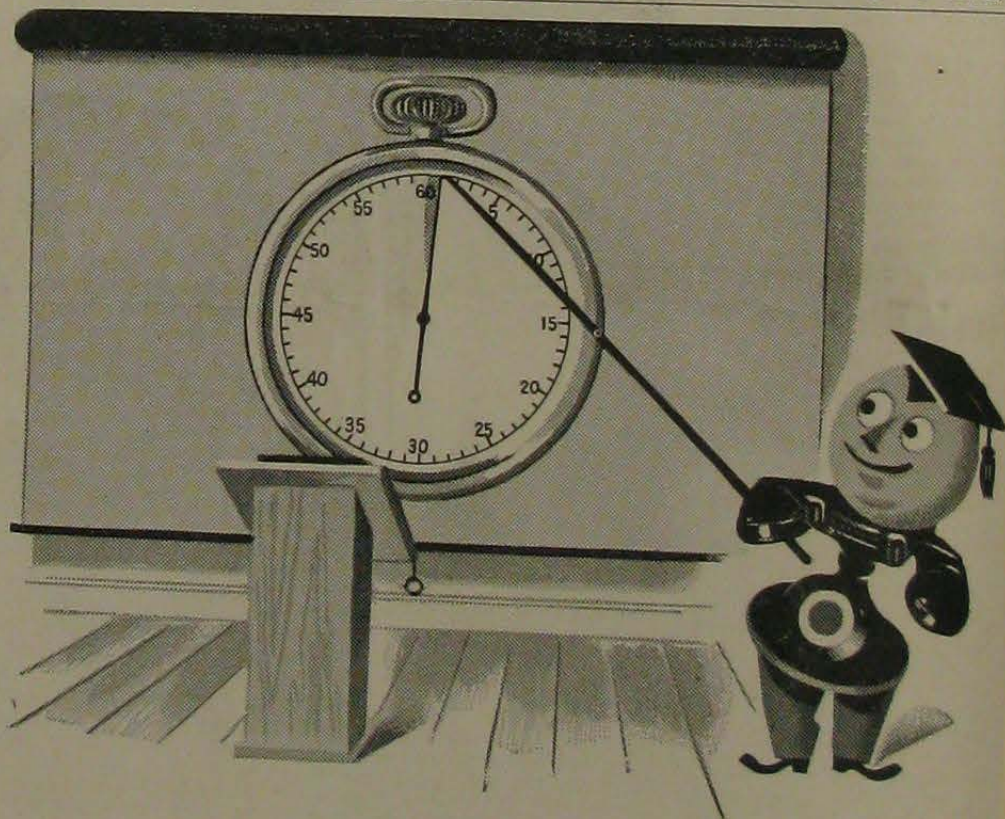
At a pledge meeting, Richard Phelps was elected captain of the following pledges: Carlton Bacon, Robert Bradley, Errol Carpenter, Manuel Gaetano, William Crandall, John Fraits, Albert Gentes, Radcliffe Healy, Gordon Johnson, Francis Manning, Robert Marclie, William Murray, Richard Phelps, Harold Smith, Everett Tefft, Clifford Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne C. Allinson have assumed the duties of house father and mother until February.

## Frosh Picnic

The date of the Frosh Picnic has been changed to Oct. 26.

P. S.—Too bad the O.P.A. doesn't have a say in the matter—or does it?



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## OFF THE COB

By AL and BOB

Here we go with this week's quiz: 1. The initials F. D. R. are extremely well known, but who knows which of the famous men in the world uses the monogram W. Q. B.? 2. New York ranks first, Chicago, second, but what city has the third largest population in the U. S.? 3. Answer this without a slide rule. If eggs are twenty-six cents a dozen, how many eggs can you buy for a cent and a quarter? Don't jump to conclusions on this one.

Ever since the promised glory of the post-war era has been thrust upon us, we have been thrilled and fascinated by the gadgets that have emanated from the minds of those to whom we trust our futures in the scientific world. No invention has so stirred the imagination of the American public as the introduction of the ball point pen. After being subjected to a day in the rainy season at Kingston we can see the true worth of this earth-shaking invention, especially when we see how it writes under water. Living here in the huts, when it rains we immediately lean for our diving suits and our ball point pens so that we'll be in a position to write down anything that comes to mind as the water rushes in and the rats desert the ship. Then, as the water inundates us, we can see the truth and sincerity of the manufacturer's claims. But, although this pen is an improvement over the "quill and well" that we used prior to the introduction of the ball point, we don't feel this is the ultimate in fountain pen design. The day is not far off when fountain pens will be atomic powered. This pen will do many amazing things — brand cattle, build homes for veterans, cook your dinner, heat the house, run your car and, for all we know, write! Or if the Reynolds people can beat the Eversharp Co. on the market with it, a new noiseless, portable typewriter that folds up and clips into your vest pocket will be sold. Only then will we know true writing pleasure.

After a tedious week-end at home with our books we returned to the bright lights of down-town Kingston. We staggered off the New York, New Haven and Hartford's version of the Super Chief, loaded to the gills — with our suitcases containing our other shirt in our hands and the remainder of our week's allowance in our pocket.

ANSWERS TO THE QUIZ: 1. Walter Q. Bunzack. 2. Philadelphia, Pa., is the third largest city. 3. You could buy a dozen eggs (1 plus twenty-five are twenty-six). We warned you.

As we stood in the chow line with the delicious aroma of frying fish in our nostrils we thought of our beautiful campus with its green quadrangle and the blazing autumn colors of our wooded areas. But suddenly we became alarmed as we realized that we had no place to discuss the beauties of this place with members of the opposite sex. Further rumination along these lines led us to the conclusion that there was a possible solution to

this problem if we put our minds to finding a temporary gathering place until our union is ready. Hearing the dulcet strains of a delicate Strauss waltz emanating from within the swinging portals of Sam's gave us an idea that we would like to present to the readers of the Beacon. Since many of our free evenings are spent in the afore-mentioned establishment, why wouldn't it be possible for the college to rent Sam's and use it as a temporary union? Or, as a further refinement, why not have Polygon and Pan-Hel arrange a series of Friday, Saturday and Sunday dances where the students come and meet the people. These dances could be sponsored by Union funds and the technicalities could be worked out by the director of Union activities. Each of the organizations on the campus would be assessed one week-end and would be responsible only for the space in which these shindigs would be held. To see for ourselves the progress being made on our Union we hiked over to Rodman. Here we saw swarms of workmen hiding from the foreman while the building rose majestically toward the heavens by themselves. With the progress that is being made there, the fraternities and sororities would have to be assessed only one night apiece.

## WANTED! A RHODY BAND

Possession and desire are two common traits in personality. Do we want a college band that will help us to justify our pride and possession in our Alma Mater? What is a football game without a band to play at the half and put on a show in maneuvering? Some may scoff at the idea that a one-hundred piece band is impractical and impossible at this college. It can be done, and in this day there is no room for pessimism. We appeal to every student who has played a band instrument to report for the scheduled rehearsals on Thursday evenings at seven o'clock in Edwards Hall. If your instrument is at home, please bring it back with you on the week-end. If you do not own an instrument you may make application for one of the college owned instruments.

There is an excellent group working at present, but it is not large enough to do the job that would justify our having the band play at the Brown, Massachusetts State, and University of Connecticut games.

As a parting suggestion will the president of every organization on the campus take the initiative to ask the members in that group if they play band instruments, and urge them to attend the rehearsal this week.

Professor Lee McCauley  
Director of Music

## Pep Rally Friday

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all the wood for the bonfire will be gathered by you, and the all important task of guarding it from the Brown enthusiasts is left to you.

Elections of class officers were discussed. It was decided for all classes to return to the five-officer plan, the five officers being the president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and social chairman.

The first elections, or the popular primary election, will be held, to choose the top five men and the top three women. The students will then vote once again for one of the eight people. The top three men will hold respectively the offices of president, treasurer, and social chairman, while the top two women will fill the other two, vice president and secretary.

## Phi Sigmas Meet

At a meeting of Phi Sigma last week it was decided to have a pre-rushing party Monday, October 28. The group discussed plans for the coming year concerning the speakers and the discussions that they would hold throughout the year. The next meeting of Phi Sigma will be on Monday, October 14.

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## Open Dances

Two open house dances in Wakefield and Peace Dale next Saturday evening will be part of the entertainment being arranged for the Welcome Home Celebration in honor of South Kingston's World War II veterans. A sports program in the afternoon at Old Mountain Field, with a high school football game, fireworks in the evening preceding the dances and a variety show at Hazard Memorial Hall are other events. Tommy Masso and his orchestra will play at one dance in St. Francis Hall, and Al Gadow and his band will play for the other dance in the State Ballroom, Peace Dale. Everybody is invited to everything. The program is "on the town."

## To Aid Vets

Mr. Raymond Halliday, representative of the United States Veterans Administration, will be in his office, No. 1 East Hall, all day Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays to assist all veterans and their dependents, students and members of the faculty, in any problems coming under the jurisdiction of the Veterans' Administration, such as Education or Training of Veterans, Hospitalization, Medical Care, Pension, Disability Compensation, Insurance, and other matters, and will be in Room No. 3, Town Hall, Wakefield, Rhode Island, Tuesdays, from 11 a. m. to 8:30 p. m.

## Seniors to Elect

There will be an important meeting of all students who will graduate next February on Wednesday at 10 a. m. in Ranger lecture hall. The purpose of this meeting will be for class elections.

## CO-ED CHATTER AND PATTTER

A hearty welcome is extended by the upperclassmen to all the "gal-amor" of the freshman class. You, the femmes, have been quite busy during the summer, and are again in the spotlight on campus. Congratulations to Sigma Delta Tau, formerly Nu Alpha, who are so very happy in their new home. Welcome faces were seen at their tea Sunday—Bea Hecker, Joy Goldberg, Bev Lightman, and Anita Horowitz, all former members of Nu Alpha. Who are all the long distance phone calls from, Trudy?

Mush will definitely be on the warpath unless the Dodgers win the World Series—Gloria seconds the motion. S. D. T. finally introduced Arnie Fellman to Sherry Williams. The latest fad in sleeping apparel at S. D. T. is brightly colored shorts with contrasting "T" shirts, n'est-ce pas, Margie? Better catch up on your sleep, Claire. It isn't polite in the presence of guests. Gloria Stein's Dad travelled all the way from Dayton, Ohio, to spend the week-end with her. An old engaged gal of two months is Pris Dressler—lucky man is Bob Krasnow, former Captain with the Army Engineers.

Elaine, have you set your watch back yet? Six o'clock is really only the middle of the night, kid! So the package Roz B. received wasn't what she expected at all! How come, Roz? Very busy all the time are the newly formed Eta Phi's. In case anyone is curious as to why the Eta Phi's were sporting their colors last Wednesday let me give you the glad news. We now boast of having Deborah Wilson, Hope Holden, Eleanor Freethy, Earlene Jewett, and Norma Frasier as pledges. That's our gal Lidja! It seems Ginny Eddy practically gave up hope of having Lyma Roderiques as her guest at James-town last week-end. After missing two buses, a ferry and deluding a few sailors Lydia arrived in time to say good night to everyone. What's this we've heard about our potential lab. tech, Millard Masse, turning cook. Seems her brother and Reggie liked that fish dinner she prepared so well she's been offered the job permanently.

We all were a little suspicious of Millie Heyman's hoarding a tall, good looking lad in the Great Room lately with the excuse that she was helping him with Accounting. To this we add some teacher! The truth is, he's her big brother. Leona Ferrick spent the week-end at Eleanor Freethy's home in Cranston. The question before the house is, which Red is she going to visit, hmmm? Eleanor Roosevelt Hall is very proud of their new house mother, Miss Margaret DeWees from Keakuku, Iowa. She also holds the positions of Director of Dormitories and Assistant to the Dean of Women. Visiting "Vets" from E. R. Hall this past week-end were: Marie Duff, Irene Cote and Barbro-Ann Wahlman. Cupid's many arrows have hit our dorm. Among the recent engagements are those of Alice Jacoby to Dave

Barnes from Mountain Lakes, New Jersey; Irene Lemine to Norman Kingsbury from Milton, Mass.; and of course you all know about Lois Erickson and Dave McCauley, who were engaged July 4th (which really starts them off with a bang). Those who have "tied the knot" are Nancy Quinn who became Mrs. Ted Michaels on Sept. 7th; Alice Christoph and Jack Sullivan in July; Barbara Allardice and Richard LaMarch on this past Friday the 13th. Yvonne Goldstein will become Mrs. Sidney Dressler on October 5th. Wonder who will be next? Ann Wilcox recently caught a bride's bouquet. Hm, "Cynthia's In Love." Elizabeth Tully will be bridesmaid at Ruth Johnson's wedding on October 12th. Latest addition to our campus and now living in E. R. Hall is Elsa Meyer from Oslo, Norway. She is a graduate of the University of Oslo and is studying Home Economics here.

The peal of wedding bells echoed joyously during the summer for D. Z.—past and present. Skip Jewett became Mrs. C. Lester Hill and is now living in Kentucky—barefooted but happy. Mrs. Eddy McCarron is the girl we know as Tillie Perry. They're living in Pawtucket while Eddy goes to Bryant College. Jane Patterson married Bud Jones in an early summer ceremony and Shirlee Lalime is now the wife of Herbert Verrill. The last to join them was Barbara Warren who wed Bob Gorman three weeks ago. The best in happiness to them all always. Pity poor Shirley L. Norm has just gone into the Army! She must have taken her wrath out on her room, with roommate Barbie Newmarker's help — it's been painted a beautiful shade of purple. Please, who is Kilroy? He seems to invade D. Z. in some shape, or form Sunday nights—his familiar motto is found scrawled across the blackboard every Monday morning. Our surprise of the year was the marriage of a Delta Zeta pledge, Tiny Williams to Lester P. Morton. Congratulations. Doris Geils was wed to her roommate's brother, Donald Penny, but has returned to State for her last semester. Don is at school in N. Y. Two Chi O's who have taken the fatal step and are now sporting brand new names are Elaine Cox Shea, and Helen Bardell Eaton. We are glad to welcome Marilyn Roberts Ricketts and Barbara Pendell back to campus. You can almost hear those wedding bells ringing for Mary Benson, who has recently announced her engagement. Lee Saccoccia Topazio is now a member of the Home Ec staff. Her husband, a Beta Psi, is back at the "old grind" here at State.

Follow the aroma of paint through Sigma Kappa's door and observe the talents the girls have for painting. The trail of paint can be followed up three flights of stairs to Hubie and Pete's room where the girls, dressed in overalls and fatigues, are working feverishly (while listening to the latest jazz) to get their room shipshape.

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## Quadrangle Quotes

The question asked of veterans who were overseas in Europe:

How do American women compare to those in Europe as far as looks, character and intelligence are concerned?

American women are better all around—James L. Rodrigues, Hut 10.

What I like about European women is their unselfish attitude, they're more fun on a date—Ray Cleeland, Delta Alpha.

American women, on the whole, are more advanced—Robert Cooke, Delta Alpha.

European women are dumber, they look as though they've had more to eat, and they're too high-brow—Marty Simons, commuter.

Women are women anywhere!—Bill Jackson, Lambda Chi.

Take away the American make-up and what have you?—Wally Berman, PIK.

I'm a married man!—Kenneth Hawk, Wakefield.

I think they stand up pretty evenly—Walter Sopronik, Hut 18.

They're a little whiter over here—Dick Campbell, Theta Chi.

All women look the same to me—Lee Risco, Hut 12.

European women can't compare with them—Danny Cashman, SAE.

Personally, I believe that the European girl is more mature, more settled, and would make a much better housewife—Joseph Mazza, Beta Psi. (Ed. Note—He married a girl from Corsica).

On the whole, the European women were more beautiful, especially those in Germany and Austria. They did more bicycle riding and mountain climbing, that's why. I didn't think much of their character and I'm sure they aren't as intelligent—Michael Kitsock, Hut 32.

In general they compare very favorably—Warren E. Hill, Phi Mu.

A Hershey bar means as much to a European girl as the milk coat to the American—Bert Hall, Kingston.

The only ones I saw were over eighty. S. Kubinsky, Kingston.

They not only compare favorably, but they excel in most cases—Alec Rzepiela, SAE.

I met some wonderful women in Europe, but in general they can't compare—Art Gould, Hut 14.

European women are cleaner, more intelligent, and more beautiful ooooh-la!—Ralph Perry, Theta Chi.

As far as looks are concerned, European women were right up there but I wouldn't say their character was as good—just say they were victims of circumstance—Elmwood Vets.

### To Meet Thursday

The Student Fellowship and the Canterbury clubs will hold a joint meeting on Thursday at 7 p. m. in the commuters room. Miss Bette Johns from the New England Student Christian Association in Boston, will be the guest speaker. There will be an Episcopalian Service at 8:30, preceding the meeting. All members are invited.

Co-Chairmen for the joint meeting are Natalie Brice, president of Student Fellowship, and Alberta Crosske, president of the Canterbury Club, under the advisement of Rev. John R. Wyatt and Mr. Fred Bishop.

### Scroll to Meet

Everyone is invited to attend the next meeting of the Scroll on Thursday at 8 p. m. in Quinn Auditorium. The business of the meeting is to elect officers and to discuss plans for the coming year.

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## RHODY YACHT CLUB SAILS

Rhode Island State College was represented by three sets of crews who raced in the first associate member inter-collegiate dinghy regatta of the season yesterday at the M. I. T. Yacht Club, Cambridge, Mass.

The crews, picked at the first meeting of the Rhody Yacht Club on September 30, were Beverly Hopps, Art Coy and Ralph Potter as skippers, and Liz Davies, Jimmie Young and Phil Mulligan as their respective crews. The group arrived at M. I. T. to compete against Amherst, Boston College, Bowdoin, Middlebury College for the New England Associate Member Dinghy Championship Trophy.

At the meeting last Monday, Commodore Ralph Potter also announced the following tentative regatta schedule:

Oct. 12 and 13—All-Freshmen Regatta at M. I. T.

Oct. 26 and 27—Invitation Regatta at Coast Guard Academy.

Nov. 10 and 11—Fall Invitation Regatta at M. I. T.

## CO-EDS WELCOME BEAUTY SHOP

An ambitious couple, an inspiring word, and ideal location—thus you have the makings of our new Campus Beauty Shoppe. Located at 43 Briar Lane, the shop is proving a blessing for State Co-eds, especially now, when the style trends demand neat hair-dos.

Cashiering at Lippitt Hall during the summer months, Mrs. Jeanette Jonson was urged by Miss Lillian Hudon, director of dining services, to open her own business in beauty culture in Kingston while her husband attends classes at the college. Suggestions led to the discovery of an unoccupied storage room and carpenter shop just off campus. Mr. and Mrs. Jonson then proceeded with the transformation. A fresh coat of pale blue paint on a set of kitchen chairs was applied, walls were refinished in cameo-rose shade and a new linoleum laid. What was formerly a carpenter shop is now a neat and attractive beauty shop. Mrs. Jonson has complete charge of her business now, aside from book-keeping aid offered by her husband.

## NEWMAN CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The Newman Club held its first meeting Thursday evening, in Quinn Auditorium. Father Hart, chaplain, gave the opening prayer. The business meeting was then conducted and the annual election of class secretaries and the executive committee was held.

Those chosen are Seniors—Cathy Driscoll, executive; Mary Demers, corresponding secretary; Dorothy Walden, recording secretary.

Juniors—James Lovett, executive; Louise Bartley, corresponding secretary; James Pine, recording secretary.

Sophomores—Louise Rielly, recording secretary; Freshmen—Grace Conlon, executive; June Mitchell, corresponding secretary; Betty O'Donnell, recording secretary.

### 50 Come Out

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This year, Coach Keaney will use every minute of his time in the formation of a team which can attain the success of past seasons. It is a little early to forecast the future of the 1946-1947 squad, but we are all confident that Coach Keaney and the "boys in blue" will show all competitors the Rhody method of playing basketball.

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## COMMUNITY THEATRE

October 6, 7, 8

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday  
"G. I. S." with Alan Ladd and Geraldine Fitzgerald, and  
"THE WALLS CAME TUMBLING DOWN," with Lee Bowman and Margaret Chapman

October 9

Wednesday, Review Day  
"SECOND CHORUS" with Fred Astaire and Paulette Goddard, and  
"THE FLYING DUTCH," a Laurel and Hardy picture

October 10, 11, 12

Thursday, Friday, Saturday  
"BOYS' RANCH" with Jackie "Butch" Jenkins and James Craig and  
"FAITHFUL IN MY FASHION," Donna Reed, Tom Drake

## NOTICE

Anyone interested in joining the copy staff of the **Beacon** should get in touch with Joan Marshall at Eleanor Roosevelt Hall room 237.

## HOUSE MOTHER OF CHI-O HONORED

Mrs. Mary C. Hunt, Chi Omega's new housemother, was honored at a tea last Wednesday. Mrs. Hunt, a native of Providence, has lived in Argentina, Uruguay, England and Switzerland. For the last 20 years she has resided in Brooklyn, Connecticut. Mrs. Hunt has made a great hit with the girls, and they all hope that her stay here with them will be a very enjoyable experience.

Among those present at the tea were Dean Morris, Mrs. Harold W. Browning, patrons and patronesses of Chi Omega, members of Sigma Delta Tau, Eta Phi, Delta Zeta, and Sigma Kappa sororities, and the housemothers of the various student residences.

## Co-Ed Chatter

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Helen French did an excellent job of painting her room (or herself?) and kept the painting competition pretty keen. Other members of the brush-brigade were Bobbie Knowe, Sue Murphy, Peggy Eatough, Toni Lewis and Mary Tabor. Where is Rita's watch? Won't someone please find it so that a tired and worn out searching party can rest and end their constant state of vigilance! Ruth Dove, Betty Bosworth, and Janet Datson, all members of the graduating class last June, visited the girls at Sigma last week.

Pete Mahay spent an enjoyable week-end sight-seeing in New Hampshire. Among the places she visited were the Polar Caves and the Flume. Hitting our column again is Mary Alice Wood (Woody) who spent the week-end as guest of Ted Worrell at his home in Providence. Hubie Higgins was chosen as Sigma's representative for the committee making plans for "Homecoming Day" that is going to

## CO-CAPTAINS OF MARKSMEN NAMED

Larry Davis, Providence, and Louis Kouso, Central Falls, have been named co-captains of the Rifle Team and today began the first full week in those positions.

Both were members of the informal team that was organized last semester, as was Hal Averill of Greenville who is team manager.

Sgt. Frank L. Doggett, instructor in the Military Science and Tactics Department, is the coach of the team which has tentatively scheduled a match with the Mass. Institute of Tech. Varsity for the second week in December.

Organization of the team began Thursday at the 50-foot range in Rodman Hall which is to be used as headquarters for the group.

be held next month. Christine Bills visited Anita Gamble last week-end at her home in Providence.

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